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LOST—A heavy light-colored walking stick, with ... between Campbell's corner and ... with ... reward by leaving the stick at The Times Office. ap23-1t

LOST—A West African gold ring, with the "signs of the zodiac" on it. A good reward will be paid on its return to The Times Office. ap23-3t

LOST—A black and white setter dog was lost on Friday night. Finder will please leave same at John Weiler's warerooms, Fort Street. mar26

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OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

The Steamship and Mail Subsidies—The Labor Commission.

A Costly Report, Which Will Scarcely Prove Satisfactory to Parties Concerned.

[From our own Correspondent.]

Ottawa, April 16—The resolutions to be introduced in a few days in the House of Commons, in regard to the mail subsidies, will be received with general satisfaction by the Canadian people, notwithstanding that the expenditure will be considerable. There are many advantages to be derived from these resolutions, offered by the Minister of Finance. In the first place they are the legitimate outcome and complement of the Canadian Pacific Railway. As far as the Atlantic line is concerned they embody a policy necessary to put the Canadian mail service on a level with that of the United States *via* New York. There is little doubt but the sentiment of the Canadian people, if one can judge from the representations of the commercial communities, is in favor of making the Canadian route in every way equal, both as regards speed and other advantages, to any of its rivals in the United States. But it is in the Pacific subsidies that the readers of The Times are more directly interested. The establishment of an efficient service on the Pacific will bring to Canada a large proportion of the through passenger travel between Great Britain, China and Japan. The freight traffic with these countries will receive greater facilities for its transportation, and the market for Canadian products will be considerably enlarged. Although the subsidy to the Pacific line, as well as the Australian one, depends upon the subsidy to be granted by the Imperial Government, there is sufficient assurance had to know that this will be granted.

AMOUNT OF SUBSIDY.

One of the resolutions asks £25,000 sterling per annum to assist any company in establishing an effective fortnightly steamship service between British Columbia and Australia and New Zealand. Another proposes to make a contract for the performance of a fast weekly steamship service between Canada and the United Kingdom, making connection with a French port, on such terms as to carriage of mails and otherwise, as the Governor-in-Council deems expedient for a subsidy not exceeding $500,000 a year. The last resolution provides that the Governor-in-Council may give to any individual or company to whom may be given by Imperial Government a subsidy afterward mentioned a subsidy not exceeding £15,000 sterling per annum for a monthly steamship service, or a subsidy not exceeding £25,000 per annum for a fortnightly steamship service, between British Columbia and China and Japan, such subsidy to be given for such term of years as may be considered expedient by the Governor-in-Council, provided that during such term the Imperial Government gives to such individual or company a subsidy of not less than £45,000 sterling per annum for the monthly service, or of not less than £75,000 sterling per annum for the fortnightly service.

OTHERS NOT FORGOTTEN.

The people of British Columbia will be glad to learn that if their province is not getting much out of the public treasury other provinces are not neglected. In a few days Parliament will be asked to consider the agreement the Government have made with the Canadian Pacific Railway to build a link of the short line in New Brunswick, which will cost the Dominion between $3,000,000 and $4,000,000. Of this amount British Columbia is asked to contribute its share. Quebec has asked the modest sum of $3,000,000 to bridge the St. Lawrence, near the ancient city, and Sir John Macdonald has promised due consideration of their demands. Nova Scotia is getting a railway constructed in Cape Breton at the expense of the country and heavy land subsidies are being granted at intervals to Manitoba and the Territories. The happy people of the Pacific slope have to be contented with small favors.

LABOR COMMISSION.

The Royal Labor Commission has at last reported, and the Government have laid the result of their work in the shape of several large volumes on the table of the House of Commons to day. A few extracts as to the recommendations of the Commission will prove interesting. They are as follows:

EXISTING FACTORY LAWS.

Laws regulating the employment of women and children in factories and workshops are on the statute books of the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec. So far as could be learned by the Commission they are largely inoperative, and as long as any doubt exists with reference to the constitutionality of these measures they are likely to remain so. Masters and workmen agreed that it would be desirable to have a general Act upon this important subject. It is earnestly recommended that a test case be made and the jurisdiction settled once for all. If it were found that the power to legislate is vested in the Provinces, existing Acts could be more efficiently enforced, and workingmen in the other Provinces could bring pressure to bear upon their Local Governments to enact similar measures.

STATE OF MORALS.

Careful enquiry was made into the state of morals in manufacturing towns and cities, and especially in cotton mills and other industrial establishments in which large numbers of both sexes are employed. The testimony on this point proves the moral character of the working women in Canada to be as high as that of other classes. It is believed that some scandal would be removed, and possibly some evil prevented, if all employers of mixed labor were required to provide wholly separate conveniences for the two sexes.

LABOR CONTRACTS.

Contracts for labor, in order to be fair in their operations, should be equally binding upon both parties, the buyer and seller. This is certainly not the case where the employees are compelled to bind themselves to belong to no labor organisation as a condition of securing employment. It is a bartering away of the rights of citizenship in a free land. Trade unions are legalized by the laws of this Dominion, and any contract which binds the workman to abstain from attaching himself to one of these organizations, when he thinks that by so doing his material prosperity would be advanced, ought to be declared void and of no effect in law.

PROHIBITION FOR MINERS.

As both managers and men of the coal mines of Nova Scotia expressed themselves very forcibly in favor of a law prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors in the vicinity of the mines, the Commissioners recommend a stringent law prohibiting the sale of such liquors within a certain radius of all mines.

WAGES SHOULD BE A PREFERENTIAL CLAIM.

Serious loss has in some cases been experienced by working people through the failure of the person or firm by whom they were employed. Wages, to a considerable amount, have been lost in this way, entailing great hardship and much suffering. It is believed by your commissioners that three months' wages of all operatives should rank as a preferential claim upon all insolvent estates, and that the assignee or other person in charge should settle claims for wages in full before the accounts of other creditors are dealt with.

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS.

Your commissioners are firmly persuaded that the interests of working people will be promoted if all matters relating to them be placed under the administration of one of the Ministers of the Crown, so that a labor bureau may be established, statistics collected, information disseminated, and working people find readier means of making known their needs and their desires to the Government.

A COSTLY WORK.

I may say that the result of the labors of the commission will hardly pay for the enormous cost in connection with the work. All the good that will come by it is to save the Government from dealing with this question in a practical way for a few years longer. ONLOOKER.

BIG OPIUM SEIZURE.

Custom House Officials at San Francisco Uncover a Cache.

San Francisco, April 23.—Surveyor Fogarty on Monday seized a large quantity of opium on the steamer Oceanic, from China. The surveyor, when he overhauled the last lot of contraband opium at Ahlf's tannery, in Butchertown, a few weeks ago, had reason to believe, from information obtained, that that lot was but a portion of a large quantity in China which the smugglers proposed to smuggle into this port. Incoming steamers since the Arabic arrived have therefore been carefully watched. This morning Fogarty quietly boarded the Oceanic and commenced a diligent search for opium. Several hours were consumed without any of the drug being found, but his efforts were finally rewarded by the finding of $5,376.00 worth of the drug. In searching that part of the forecastle assigned to Chinese steerage passengers, his suspicions were aroused. The deputy was soon at work with a gimlet upon the boards of a partition in the forecastle, and as the gimlet passed through the wood it encountered something which resisted its further course.

Carpenters were at once put to work tearing down the wall, which revealed thirty-two packages, containing twenty-four tins of the best opium. Each package was carefully done up in oil skin and tied with rope, apparently for the purpose of letting them down from the side of the ship into the water, where they would be left concealed until the arrival of the smugglers' boats.

KITCHEN ECONOMY.

Some Official Tests of Baking Powders, showing their Comparative Strength and which is Most Economical.

The below tabulated statements are extracts from public tests of baking powders, made to ascertain their relative value in practical use in baking. The powder containing the largest amount of available leavening gas (excluding the alum and phosphate powders) not only produces the finest, most delicious and wholesome food, but it is the most economical in use.

United States Government Chemist Professor Edward G. Love, found the comparative strength of the powders as follows:

Name.	per oz. Powder.
Royal	127.4
Patapsco Alum Powder	125.2
Horsford's (Fresh)	121.6
Horsford's (Not Fresh)	[illegible]
Charm (Alum Powder)	116.9
Cleveland's	110.8
Sea Foam	107.9
Dr. Price's	102.6

Massachusetts State Analysts found the strength of several baking powders as follows:

Name.	Cu. in gas per oz.
Royal	130.15
Cleveland's	107.7
Congress	81.2
Horsford's	[illegible]

Prof. C. W. Parsons, N. Y. College of Pharmacy, in tests made for the Grocer's Association of New York, found the strength of six brands as follows:

Name.	Cu. in. gas per oz.
Royal	130.05
Cleveland's	119.92
Sea Foam	112.13
Dr. Price's	109.27
Horsford's	102.64
Congress	95.99

Tests by Professor McMurtrie, late Chemist in Chief, U. S. Agricultural Department, Washington, D. C.:

Name.	Cu. in. gas per oz.
Royal	132.05
Cleveland's	104.10
Dr. Price's	99.35
None Such	77.24
Horseford's (Phosphate)	71.10

It will be noticed that the Royal produces from 17 to 40 per cent. more leavening gas than any other cream of tartar powder, and is consequently that much more economical.

The Government Chemist, Prof. Edward G. Love, who made the analysis of baking powders for the New York State Board of Health as well as for the U. S. Government, says: "I find the Royal Baking Powder composed of pure and wholesome ingredients. It does not contain either alum or phosphates or other injurious substance."

SPORTING NEWS.

Interesting Rowing Race Near Stockton, California.

Stockton, Cal., April 24—A large crowd witnessed a three-mile rowing race between Henceman, of this city, and Long, of San Francisco, yesterday on the Stockton channel. Long securing the choice took the south side of the course. The word was given and Long took the water first, gaining a slight lead, which was overcome by Henceman in the first hundred yards. The turn was made by Henceman in 10 minutes and 5 seconds, with Long three open lengths behind. Long pulled hard and strong, but Henceman pulled a steady stroke and kept four lengths in the lead, winning in 22 minutes and 7 4-5 seconds. It is understood a large amount of money changed hands on the race. Peterson, Hamm, Jackson and Stevenson were among those who witnessed the contest.

Ye Sportsmen.

For base ball, cricket, lacrosse, lawn tennis, bycicle, running and athletic shoes, go to H. Mansell's, next to Van Volkenburgh's. ☞ Spalding's genuine steel base ball plates, cricket spikes and patent spurs and spur boxes always on hand. *2w

On the Rocks.

In coming into the harbor at 3:20 p. m. to-day, the Idaho ran on the rocks where the Sardonyx got stuck fast two years ago. The Idaho is on her first trip from Portland for the O. R. & N. Company, and was coming to unload freight for this city.

Dame Rumor.

Mr. A. G. McCandless left for San Francisco on the Mexico to-day. Rumor has it that Mr. McCandless will join fortunes with Miss Ella Gilmore, one of the Bay City's fairest daughters, on Monday next, and that they will return to this city in about two weeks. Miss Gilmore, who visited this city last summer, will be remembered by many.

—The Idaho from Portland arrived at 3 p. m.

TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

The Accident to the Danmark Due to Defective Machinery —Mowat Insulted.

Boulanger Arrives in London—Chamberlain and Churchill —Committed Suicide.

[By Postal Telegraph.]

Albany, N.Y., April 24.—Premier Mowatt and wife, of Ontario, were compelled to leave the floor of the Senate to-day on an objection of Mr. Murphy to their being present. Murphy objected to the Senate extending any courtesies to subjects of the British Crown. The Premier and his wife thereupon left the chamber. They were subsequently given the privileges of the assembly floor.

BOULANGER'S FLIGHT.

Brussels, April 24.—Gen. Boulanger, Count Dillon, and six of the General's sympathizers, left at seven o'clock this morning for Ostend, where they took steamer for England. The party were gloomy and dejected. Very few people gathered; there were no cheers given them, nor any enthusiasm manifested by the few who were at the station. The party sailed from Ostend at 9 o'clock. About 2000 people witnessed the gentlemen's departure but no cheers were given. Rochefort remained at Brussels, but reports he may be expected shortly at Dover.

Dover, April 24—Boulanger and companions arrived here after a rough passage across the Channel, during which all were quite seasick. Numerous friends of Boulanger met them and gave them a cordial welcome to England. Police, Commissary from Calais, watched the party in the interest of France and has to impart to the French Government every move the General makes. The party proceeded to London in a special train put at Boulanger's service by the Southeastern Railway Company.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

Seattle, W. T. April 23.—Austin A. Bell, a prominent Seattle man committed suicide this morning by shooting himself through the head with a revolver, in his office in North Seattle. Mr. Bell is a son of Mr. William N. Bell, the pioneer of northern Seattle. He was wealthy and owned some valuable real estate. No cause can be assigned for the act, as his financial affairs were in a very flourishing condition.

SELLING A PITCHER.

New York, April 23—President Day of the New York baseball club, said this forenoon, in the office of the *Sporting Times*, that Boston could have Ward for $12,000, if it wants him, or any other club can have him at that figure. "We can use the sum very handily in our business," said the president. "It is reported you don't care to sell Ward, because you're afraid Boston would thereupon become too strong," remarked a reporter. "Afraid! We are not afraid of nothing. Boston can have him if they want to pay for him."

DECAPITATED.

San Francisco, April 23.—Mrs. Bridget Needham, aged about 50 years, alighted from a cable car this morning, and while crossing the street was knocked down by a horse car and killed. One of the wheels must have severed the woman's head from her body.

LAWLESSNESS.

[illegible] who took up claims here yesterday were foully murdered by claim jumpers. The names of assailants and victims were not learned. A Vigilance Committee is scouring the territory in search of the miscreants, who will be summarily dealt with if caught.

THE DANMARK'S MACHINERY.

New York, April 23.—Sixty odd east-bound passengers of the ill-fated steamship Danmark reached New York from Philadelphia this morning and were taken care of by the agents of the Thingvalla Steamship Co. All are of the better class of immigrants. They are all, without exception, well dressed and clean. Olaf Wiegland and wife, who were bound for Worcester, Mass., were one of the few English speaking people in the party. He is a florist and has been in America before. In conversation with a U. P. reporter he made a statement which has not yet appeared in print in connection with the casualty. He said before the accident occurred, the date of which he could not recall, but thought it was on the first or second of April, one of the Norwegian immigrants told him he had overheard a conversation in the officers' quarters. One ship's officer said to the other, he thought the vessel would never reach New York. The machinery was in bad order and had not received the care it should have before sailing. One of the pumps was broken and in case of accident would be useless in throwing out water. Wiegland further said the vessel's coal box was on fire on two occasions before the machinery gave way. The first fire occurred about ten o'clock on the night of the 29th of March; the second about half-past three on the afternoon of the following day. Passengers heard of both fires and showed more uneasiness over a comparatively slight accident than when the vessel became totally disabled. He was loud in praise of the conduct of Capt. Murrell and officers and crew of the Missouri. Throughout the terrible experience Weigland said the commanders of the rescuing steamer acted with Spartan heroism. He neglected his own comfort to provide for the unfortunate people.

CHAMBERLAIN AND CHURCHILL.

London, April 23.—Lord Randolph Churchill has written an angry letter to Chamberlain, in which he warns that gentleman that if the Conservatives choose to make a test of their strength throughout Birmingham, the contest will certainly result in the political annihilation of Chamberlain and his friends. If these gentlemen have the success of unionism at heart they had better moderate their pretentions and turn their attention to conciliating rather than provoking the Conservatives.

Joseph Chamberlain has written a reply to the open letter of Lord Randolph Churchill, in which he says:—"I will endeavor humbly to profit by your advice, though I fear the task of reconciling conflicting interests is not made easier by your communications regarding future action." He thinks that the conservatives and liberal-unionists ought to make a joint canvass to ascertain their relative force in Birmingham and afterwards submit their differences to arbitration. He says that he would welcome any assistance from Lord Randolph tending to the establishment of unity.

The general dullness incident to the Easter holidays has been very favorable to the excitement of widespread interest in Lord Randolph Churchill's savage attack upon Joseph Chamberlain and that gentleman's reply thereto. Lord Randolph's letter is admitted to be a straightforward statement of the situation in Birmingham, and the cause thereof, and the opinion is that Mr. Chamberlain's answer dodges the issue and widens the breach between the unionists and the tories. The local leaders of both parties had reached a perfectly harmonious understanding previous to Chamberlain's inhibition of the nomination of a conservative candidate in the central division. Concerning Chamberlain's arbitrary course, Rowland H. Hopkins and Sir James Sawyer (conservatives) have prepared a concise statement which will be published in to-morrow's issue of the Birmingham *Gazette*, and the controversy opened by Lord Randolph Churchill promises to involve a large number of persons and disclose some interesting political secrets.

THE VANCOUVER SCANDAL.

Charge Against Dr. Langis and Sullivan in the Police Court.

The charge of abortion against Dr. Langis and Arthur Sullivan was partially heard in the police court yesterday.

James Hogg, husband of the woman and the prosecutor in the case, deposed: Believed the information to be correct. Amanda Hogg is my wife. She was with child. We lived together as man and wife. I have been married eight years. We were married at Meaford, county of Gray. Came to Vancouver about the 20th of February, 1888. Relations were not always friendly between me and my wife. I thought the reason was on account of step-children. Never had any suspicion of her infidelity until she became acquainted with Sullivan. I always considered her a good Christian woman. My suspicions were aroused when Sullivan first began to accompany her from choir practice. My wife would sometimes blaspheme. She was not always addicted to the habit. I do not know when she first began to use such language, but she became more habituated to it after she became acquainted with the defendant, Sullivan. She was accustomed to blaspheme against the King of Heaven. I never take periodical fits of jealousy and charge her with unfaithfulness. My wife had a miscarriage somewhere about the 9th of March, 1889. She gave the reason that she had fallen while going down the steps to Mr. Abray's house. I think she stayed at Mr. Abray's all night. There are about six steps leading up to the sidewalk from each of our houses. She was anxious to have Dr. Langis in preference to those whom I mentioned. I spoke disapprovingly of Dr. Langis on account of the suspicions I had of Sullivan. I thought Langis and Sullivan were particular friends. My wife said she had gone to see Dr. Langis. I do not know how soon after our conversation she told me she had seen the doctor. I did not think an abortion had been performed on my wife until she confessed it. I did not see him give her any medicine or use any instruments. I have heard he used surgical instruments in his office. Dr. Langis sent in his bill of $25 last week. My wife was ill in bed. Two weeks ago to-day I turned her out of my house. I don't remember seeing any women but Dr. Burritt's wife around the house at the time of the illness. My suspicions of my wife were verified, as I thought, two weeks ago to-day. At that time I saw her going into the enclosure which leads to Sullivan's Hall, and I afterwards found her in the hall with Sullivan. She left my studio a few minutes previously with the pretext of going to Carrall street. I had told my wife that it was unseemly for her to be seen with a negro. I most positively objected to her going with Sullivan, and more particularly as he was a negro. I told her public suspicion would be aroused. I spoke to her several times. I never before had to protest against her going with other men. Since last summer she has been going with Sullivan. She is a member of the Methodist choir, I understood [illegible] this evening ... I entered the hall with him. Within one minute after she left the gallery she entered the alley. I stood at the window for a short time. I asked God what I would do as my suspicion was aroused. I concluded to go to my own back steps which were almost opposite those of the Hall. A few minutes afterwards I went up the steps of the hall and found the door at the head of the stairs locked. I waited about 15 minutes or so near the foot of the stair so as to be out of range of their vision. By and by my wife came to the door, opened it and looked out. I made no attempt to break open the door. when my wife saw me she asked me what was up. I rushed up stairs and saw Sullivan going out of the of the ante-room as fast as he could go. I followed him up and when I reached the main hall he was nowhere to be seen. I searched around and found him in a small room. He came out and exclaimed: "Oh, Mr. Hogg! Oh, Mr. Hogg!" I said: "I will make this a hot job for the two of you to be in this room with the door locked.' He said it was not locked. I did not hear what they were saying; I left them in the room together. When she left me she went to the house of the Rev. E. Robson. She then strongly protested her innocence. She at length admitted her guilt. She said that Miss Bowes advised her to confess her guilt if she was guilty. I also urged her to acknowledge her crime as it would be best to admit it. She had asked me to give her money for support on several occasions previous to her confession. She could not get money from me nor from Sullivan, and she was driven to desperation. She had no communication with Sullivan to my knowledge. I heard her say she asked $5 of Sullivan. She did not tell me that was all she asked for. I believe she asked for $20 or $30 a month until $2,000 had been paid. She made a confession in the photograph gallery. She had asked for money. I refused to give her any. I wanted her to confess. It was either before dinner or afterschool hours, for my little boy came in at the time. She acknowledged to me that the charges which I had preferred against her were true. I mean the charges contained in my letter to the Rev. E. Robson. She said she was going down to practice on the 15th Oct., 1888. The choir were practicing for Moody's meeting. When she got to the Y. M. C. A. rooms Sullivan was there, and he said no ladies had arrived, and he asked her to take a walk. He brought her down to the hall and invited her in, and persuaded her to go up. It kept them about an hour late at the practice. She said there were several other times at which the same occurred. At another time he accompanied her from the Tabernacle to the cricket ground, and on another occasion he was with her in my own home. It was in the daytime when he was at my house. She said there were other occasions. Two weeks ago Saturday night they left the church before practice was over, and he tried to induce her to meet him again at the church later on. He said he waited until eleven o'clock thinking she would come, but she refused. The case is still under investigation.

Resolution of Condolence.

The Board of Trade met this morning and passed a resolution expressing the great loss sustained by the Province in the death of the Hon. R. Dunsmuir, and extending the sympathy of the Board to the widow and family.

The most productive gas well in the world has been struck at Findlay, O. Its capacity is 40,000,000 cubic feet per day and it is called the Mallott.

Here is the latest English Tory joke: "Why cannot Mr. Gladstone have his life insured? Because no man living can make out his policy."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

TO THE TIMES ONLY.

Doc Chisholm Somewhat Better —Young Lady Burned to Death.

A Murder Unearthed after Eighteen Years—The Megantic Outlaw.

[Special to The Times.]

Aylmer, April 24.—The remains of a man supposed to have been Gifford Williams, who disappeared eighteen years ago, have been discovered in an old well at Springfield. An investigation is being held. It is believed to be a case of murder, and that evidence will be forthcoming to convict the perpetrators.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Prescott, April 24.—Mr. Gainsford's residence and McGregor's bakery were burned. Miss Kate Gainsford was burned to death. Loss $13,000.

MORRISON'S TRIAL.

Sherbrooke, April 24.—While the doctor was examining Morrison in jail he found a small six-calibre revolver secreted in his shirt. As soon as he is able Morrison will be brought up for examination, but the trial is not expected to take place before October.

DROWNED.

Keewatin, Oct. 24.—Joseph Pootel fell out of a row boat here in a fit and was drowned.

THE PRAIRIE CITY.

Winnipeg, April 24.—Mr. Robie, chief of the fire brigade has resigned.

A coroner's jury found Robt. Heffern guilty of causing the death of Mary Hood by a kick in the abdomen.

J. C. McLagan, the Vancouver *World* man is in the city.

THE CAPITAL.

Government Caucus—Chapleau's Return—Bill Withdrawn.

[Special to The Times.]

Ottawa, April 24—Another government caucus was held to-day in regard to the government's railway policy. Sir John was unable to be in the House, and owing to ill health was not present. Nothing definite was arranged.

Chisholm is easier to-day.

In the House this afternoon the Government withdrew the Northwest Territories Act, afterwards taking up supply.

Chapleau will not arrive until to-morrow night, when he gets an unofficial reception by political admirers.

Every effort is being made to prorogue the House the first of next week.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

Major Peters of C Battery went up on the train this morning equipped with fishing tackle and a Winchester, the latter presumably for wolves.

Captain Hammet of H. M. S. Swiftsure inspected H. M. S. Espeigle this morning, previous to her departure for the south.

Miss Annie Munro was a passenger on to-day's train from Nanaimo.

Mr. Thos. Millar, proprietor of the Provincial hotel, is going to Colorado in search of health.

Rev. F. Chamberlain, of Wellington, will make his farewell address to the congregation on Sunday next. He goes to Toronto. [illegible] the Wellington collieries, is in the city.

Mrs. Woobank and Mrs. Forrest have returned to Nanaimo from a lengthened trip to England. On Tuesday evening Mrs. Woobank was united in marriage with Mr. Geo. Woobank.

Bandmaster Agius, of C Battery, will leave for Malta in a few days on three months leave. He received a letter this morning announcing that his father was dangerously ill. We wish Mr. Agius a safe journey and speedy return.

A BREAK FOR LIBERTY.

Healy Escapes from the Chaingang and is Recaptured.

About 10 o'clock this morning a prisoner named Healy, serving a sentence of imprisonment of one year for breaking into the premises of Messrs. Gilmore & McCandless, made his escape from the chaingang in the grounds surrounding the Government House. A telephone message was sent to the provincial gaol and Officer C. J. Miller was notified to search for the man. The officer secured the services of Mr. Edward North, and the two pursuers left the city on horseback, at 11 o'clock. They searched in the woods near Government House. North located the prisoner in a clump of trees and was advancing towards him with his pistol when the convict jumped on him and attempted to take the pistol from the young man. A struggle ensued and the prisoner was worsted by the young man. Officer Millar was at hand. The prisoner, a most desperate character, was ironed and returned to the Provincial jail. He will be tried for breaking away from the chain gang and will doubtless receive another year or two to consider over the ways of the transgressor.

RODGERS' PUNISHMENT.

To the Editor of The Times.

Sir,—I see that the man Rodgers sentenced to three years in the penitentiary has been taken to New Westminster. I do not know who he is, anything of his character, or crime, beyond what I have read in the newspapers. But are we told what was his crime? Stealing a couple of brass candlesticks and a prayer book from a place of worship; two articles without any marketable value, of no utility and without benefit to the prisoner, unless in his diseased or intoxicated brain he had conceived the idea of holding private masses. Yet the sentence was three years imprisonment in the penitentiary. I do not say but that a distinction should be made between the robbery and desecration of places of worship (because the latter are in many cases left open and unprotected) nor do I say that the law as it exists at present was not administered in this case, but I do say that the punishment was excessive, out of all proportion to the gravity of the offence and that the enactment which authorized it, like many others which stand our statute books is too unreasonable for a common sense age like this. Indeed the possibilities which our laws afford for injustice are terrible to contemplate. JUSTICE AND MERCY.

"My son," said the parson, firmly, "I am not going to punish you this afternoon, because your outcries would disturb the entire neighborhood and break harshly on the Sabbath, but to-morrow morning I am going to give you a whipping that you will remember the longest day you live."

"Yes," said the boy, who had gone to the woods for chestnuts instead of attending divine service, "a nice Universalist you are; preach universal salvation in the morning and then come home and practice future punishment."—*Burdette.*

—The regatta committee will meet this evening in the Mayor's office.

—The choral society will not meet this evening, but to-night week.

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MR. "O'MARA".

The eternal fitness of things was never better exemplified than when Mr. "O'Mara," as the Colonist calls him, was elected to represent Yale at Ottawa. Yale is one of those favored localities which requires for development only an additional post-office or two, and the gentleman who has charge of its destinies at Ottawa has a penchant which brings him sympathy with such requirements. So extraordinary an affinity between the electors and their representative has seldom been witnessed, and the people of Yale have reason to congratulate themselves of having a man to represent them whose postal predilections, whether congenital or acquired through a lofty patriotic sense of epistolary distribution, are so thoroughly in consonance with their own. But while the people of Yale are revelling in increased postal facilities, which seem to convey the impression that Capt. Fletcher will have to employ a deputy, there is a fly in the ointment. Mr. Mara's capabilities seem to be circumscribed to post offices alone. Whenever he undertakes to wrestle with questions of which post offices are the sequel rather than the origin, he finds himself, to use his own words, "in an awkward position." This is unfortunate, not only for Mr. Mara but his constituents and the province in general, and coming on the heels of Mr. Baker's defection it looks as if Victoria was to be sacrificed to meet certain political exigencies. The people of this province have no use for legislative automatons. They expect that their representatives at Ottawa are wide-awake to their interests, irrespective of party fealty and country post offices. Mr. Mara, however, cannot get ther. He is one of those men who regard the people as instruments of his greatness rather than he being the instrument of the people's greatness. Like Mr. E. C. Baker, his instincts are irrevocably Tory, and independence outside of his own political coterie is out of the ... finds himself in "an awkward position." A case of conscience versus political sycophancy ending with the sacrifice of the province he represents. There is no reason why Japan and Australian steamers should not stop at Victoria, or if there are reasons, why are they not specifically given. Mr. Mara is just as cognizant of the justice of Victoria's claim as Col. Prior, and yet when the question comes up to be acted upon Mr. Mara finds himself in "an awkward position." He cannot bring himself to announce to the people that he is as solid for their commercial interests as he is for their postoffices if such a course brings him in opposition to Sir John and his satellites. But comment is superfluous. The member for Yale, under the stress of political exigencies, has dropped his sphinx-like reticence, and now consorts with Mr. Baker, a devotee to party at the expense of his constituents. Well, it is something to have a man put himself on record. Hitherto Mr. Mara has kept astride the fence with astonishing skill, but he has at last toppled over to the Government side and his only certificate of character is a species of statesmanship which can be embodied within the compass of a postal card. If Sir John has any sense of gratitude, and they say such is one of his shining qualities, he should give Mr. Mara a postmastership somewhere, and save him the necessity of playing the political Judas to his constituents.

A sixteen-year-old Duluth Normal School girl was seized the other day while at calisthenic drill with pains in the neck and head, and the following morning the right side of her face was paralysed. The family physician ascribes the paralysis to over indulgence in the exercises, which are given for two hours every alternate week to girls who have not been excused from participation in them on the ground of physical debility. Of course there are Duluthians who have become prejudiced against calisthenics by this untoward occurrence. The truth, however, is that the exercises are beneficial to many, but in exercises of this kind, as in everything else, temperance is required, and some persons should wholly avoid them owing to individual idiosyncracies.

The Emperor of Germany has announced his intention of making his empire a naval power of the first rank. He has the advantage of an unlimited supply of money to aid him in carrying out the scheme, besides a considerable number of very good vessels to begin with. But the late incident at Samoa indicates that ships and money are not alone necessary to the creation of a first class navy. The best of ships are practically useless unless manned by men who know how to manage them.

The *Christian Union* recently took occasion to declare that Rev. Joseph Cook had ceased to be a person of influence in Boston. The correspondent in that city of the Hartford *Courant* confirms this, and adds: "Joseph Cook's standing in Boston now is largely that of notoriety. There are but few of our clergy who consider him still a power for good, and they are chiefly men of extreme ideas, which they find advocated by Mr. Cook in a violent manner. As a moral or religious power he has lost much by this violence."

THE CORNER STONE.

Speeches Made by Mr. Justice Crease and Mayor Grant.

The following are the remarks made by Hon. Justice Crease and Mayor Grant at the ceremony of laying the corner stone of the Royal Jubilee Hospital yesterday:

MR. JUSTICE CREASE'S SPEECH.

Mrs. Nelson, Ladies and Gentlemen:

It is partly a privilege, partly a duty, which has devolved on me as the surviving trustee of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, to address a few brief words to you, madam, and the large and influential assemblage which you have graced with your presence here to-day. It is a privilege to those who have engaged in this great work to have the opportunity of expressing the gratification and thankfulness they feel of having witnessed the laying of the permanent foundation which you, madam, have so happily and successfully performed, and also of acknowledging the active countenance and aid afforded by the gallant admiral, the officers, indeed, I might say all belonging to the fleet, to the success of the day, and the warm general interest which the occasion has called forth in all directions. It is most encouraging for our future success. I should not, however, have spoken now, but for the loss of my co-trustee, Mr. Dunsmuir. It is impossible as yet to realize the extent of that great loss, from whatever direction you regard it—whether as regards the country, the province, or Victoria. That only time can develop. You have heard what the worthy president has said in his address on the subject, and I will not therefore repeat. My late colleague had intended, although not a man of many words, to have spoken on this occasion. He had the success of this great charitable institution much nearer to his heart than is generally known. But that clear and kindly voice is now silent in the grave. It becomes, therefore, a duty for his surviving colleague to say what he would have said. He had looked forward in the hope of being present on the occasion when you, madam, as our first lady, should favor us, in the happy manner that you have done, by commencing the permanent foundation of this great benevolent institution. He had hoped to have been concerned with his co-workers in pushing on the work to its completion, so that, within the year, we might be able to hand over the buildings, completely furnished, fitted and appointed, ready for use, to a corporate body selected from the subscribers who might then have carried the undertaking on, with all the by-laws, staff regulations and discipline necessary for the best hospital on the Pacific coast. In short, it was hoped that as you, madam, have inaugurated it to-day, you also might similarly grace with your presence and assistance the occasion when this great charitable institution should be handed over complete, to that corporate body of subscribers which is to succeed us in the charge. But, although that was not to be, we have every reason, from the general and enduring interest felt in the objects of the institution, that the work you have so happily inaugurated to-day will be energetically carried out to a successful completion.

MAYOR GRANT'S SPEECH.

Mayor Grant was next called on, and said that of all the emotions which stir the human breast none is more worthy or commendable than that heaven-born attribute, charity. It impels the possessor to acts of kindness and imbues her or him with a desire for the amelioration of those less fortunate than themselves. It was the possession of this greatest of the three graces that moved the Parisians as early as the seventh century to establish and maintain the Hotel Dieu, an institution which received the benefactions of successive sovereigns, and is said to be the most ancient hospital in Europe, and now after twelve centuries of continued existence it is conducted on a stupendous scale. The method of maintaining these institutions differ in different countries; in Great Britain it is on the principle of charity, while in France they are supported ... the city municipalities. In this province the method is a mixed one as the major portion is contributed by the state, the balance by private subscription. He knew of no country of the world where the people responded to the calls of charity more liberally than is done in this province. A feeling is shown for the sick and unfortunate which is rarely equalled, in making provision for their comfort. (Cheers.) He said that outside of public support there are but few of us indeed being in the possession our faculties but who would contribute a mite toward the support of this desirable institution and that there is a degree of pleasure in doing so that well repays the contributor. He felt sure that as the municipalities were now empowered by the legislature to contribute to and aid hospitals, either within or without their municipal limits, that the corporation of the city of Victoria through its council would donate a sum toward the erection of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, as well as assist in its maintenance when it shall have been built. He thought that Victoria had not contributed before from lack of legal authority to do so. He congratulated the general committee, as well as the executive committee, upon the manner in which they had done their work. Few who were not intimately connected with this work knew of the many difficulties which had to be overcome, but he was happy to say that they had all been surmounted. In this connection he remarked that few were aware of the immense amount of work which had to be done by one man, and he felt that they would be ungrateful if special mention were not made of the valuable, untiring and persistent services rendered in the interests of the scheme by the very capable secretary, Mr. W. M. Chudley. Too much could not be said in his praise, as he had never known of any one who devoted himself so energetically to a work of charity as had Mr. Chudley. (Cheers.) It is only the committee who really knew the extent the public were indebted to that gentleman, in fact the success of the Jubilee Hospital project was in no small measure due to his energy and work (applause). Mr. Grant said in closing, that he hoped that when the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital shall have been completed that it will not only be a lasting record of the benevolence of our citizens but a permanent monument of the love and loyalty that dwelleth in the hearts of the people of British Columbia toward our good and gracious Queen.

AN UNFORTUNATE'S WAIL.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir:—"Take heed lest thou do not fall by the way side," is a beautiful Biblical aphorism, but I must say I fell, and I took heed, too. As I write these lines I can feel the pain in my legs from walking into a plank raised above the sidewalk, near the corner of Douglas and Broughton streets, while moving in that direction last night. I am willing to be a martyr if the builders of that new church will place lights there in future. I have splendid vision, but cannot see on a cloudy night, hence I fell.

A Human Being.

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CARE OF THE FEET

The Anatomy of the Foot Described by a Medical Man.

The purpose of the foot is for progression and support, says a physician in The Pittsburg Dispatch. As we go down the scale of animal life we find that the hind feet always differ from the fore feet. So it is in man; the hand differs from the foot. The anatomical construction of the foot in many ways bears a close resemblance to that of the hand. The foot is controlled by muscles which give us the ability to walk and stand. These muscles are often attacked by a disease, such as paralysis, and, as a result, we have the many malformations of the foot. This is especially true in childhood, and, the bones being then soft, they adapt themselves to the diseased muscles. As the child grows older the bones harden, and, as a result, they never can be cured. The destruction of these muscles gives to us the flat foot and the arched foot, which serve to distinguish the races. The more arched the foot the higher and more beautiful the race. The flat foot and projecting heel of the colored race are both due to the action of their muscles.

Small feet are now considered beautiful; but it was not always so, as you can notice, if you will study the statues of of German goddesses, which show a foot much longer than is considered desirable in this age.

The great toe in your shoe should be exactly in line with the axis of the foot. This must be so in order to have a graceful walk. In walking, the heel is raised while the toes are cramped downward. When they are incased in leather and a firm sole there must be some extra room in order to give freedom of motion. When the shoe is tight in some places, it presses on muscles, and consequently they are not able to perform their proper functions. As a result, the great toe is drawn out of a line of the axis of the foot; some of the muscles are strengthened, and others are weakened. As another result, the toe will be drawn permanently out of this axis and prove to be the cause of much trouble with our feet. The inner side of the surface of the sole of a shoe should be almost a straight line and the outer side curved.

The shoes now made curve almost equally on both sides, and the curvature of the toe is greatly aided by the structure of the shoe. A shoe is not necessarily advantageous because it is loose, as some portions of the foot are able to stand great pressure, and thus relieve other portions which are weaker. The shoe should be loose about the ball of the foot and about the toes. Different styles of shoes may be adopted for different exercises of the foot. Shoes used for dancing may have higher heels than those used when walking.

A reformation in the making of shoes will never take place until some anatomist learns the trade of shoemaking and becomes an artist in that line, so that he may have an opportunity of studying the practical as well as the theoretical side of the question.

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St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society. a8-td

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Hastie & Lockhart.

Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in a logging business has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Frank Lloyd assuming all assets and liabilities of the said partnership.

FRANK LLOYD,
W. B. MORRIS.

C. W. RHODES, Witness.
Victoria B. C., April 3, 1889. ap4

Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Henry Croft and William Angus under the firm name of "Croft & Angus," in British Columbia, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All persons having any claims against the said firm of Croft & Angus are requested to send particulars thereof to Messrs. Davie & Pooley, of Langley street, Victoria, who are authorized to pay the same, and to collect the moneys due to the said firm. Every person owing money to the said firm is requested to pay the same to Messrs. Davie & Pooley.

As witness our hands this 30th day of March, 1889.

HENRY CROFT,
WM. ANGUS.

Witness: A. P. LUXTON.

ACADEMY OF DANCING,

Stelly's Hall, Corner of Johnson and Blanchard Streets.

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THE CELEBRATED

Suffold Punch Stallion

BEN II.

Will stand for the season commencing April 1st at the following places: Prairie Tavern, South Saanich, every Tuesday; at H. Simpson's farm, North Saanich, on Monday; at Bowman's livery stable, Victoria, on Wednesday and Thursday.

At the Provincial exhibition held in Victoria in October, 1888, Ben II. was awarded the sweepstake prize for the best stallion shown.

PEDIGREE OF BEN II.

SIRE: Ben I, 139, chesnut, foaled 1874; bred by Mr. B. Ashwell of Falkenham. Sire, Mr. Biddell's Captain Snap, 142. Dam, Posford's Doughty, 720, by Law's Farmer, 801.

DAM: Rose, chestnut, foaled 1878; bred by Mr. Asplin; owned by Mr. H. Cross. Sire, Mr. H. Walker's Hero, 1238. Dam by Cross' Captain, 443, son of Cross' Boxer. G. dam by Cross' Boxer, 440.

BEN II, 1095, Foaled 13th April, 1883; bred by Mr. H. Cross, Jr., of Fleet Hall; color, dark chestnut; height 17 hands 1¼ in.

Terms $15. for the season. $25. for insurance.

HENRY SIMPSON,
May6-1m South Saanich.

NOTICE.

The semi-annual examination of the Medical Council of British Columbia will take place in the City of Victoria commencing on the 7th day of May next. Full information can be obtained from the Registrar.

G. L. MILNE,
Registrar and Secretary.

April 2, 1889. a3-1m

NOTICE.

The following hardware merchants of Victoria have arranged to close their stores at 1 p. m. on Saturday, commencing Saturday the 6th inst.:

E. G. PRIOR & CO.
NICHOLLES & RENOUF,
MARVIN & HILTON,
ap1-2w MATTHEWS, RICHARDS & TYE.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Now is Your time to get Cheap

FARM AND LAWN ROLLERS!

Prices for Farm, from $25 to $28.
Lawn, from $5 to $15.
Rollers for Hire.

The latter weighs 800 lbs.; can be easily weighted to twice that amount; all warranted to give satisfaction at the

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Wm. Powell,

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R. P. COOKE, President.

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The Centaur Company, 77 Murray Street, N. Y.

DOGS AT LARGE.

The public are requested to take notice that all dogs found at large within the city limits after this date without the Corporation Tag for the current year will be impounded and dealt with in accordance with the provisions of the pound by-law.

Dog Tags can be obtained on application at the City Hall. By order

CHAS. KENT,
Victoria, March 20, 1889. Collector
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Estate of Heinrich Behrer, Deceased.

All persons indebted to the above estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith and all persons having any claims against the estate are requested to forward the same duly proved to

JAMES C. PREVOST, Administrator.

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NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Between

JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,

AND

JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

Notice is hereby given that an Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Prevost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.

JAMES C. PREVOST.

Dated, Victoria, February 19th, 1889. m16

MUNICIPAL.

Notice is hereby given that from and after this date the provisions of Section 5, of the By-law No. 145, will be strictly enforced, which reads as follows:

"No person shall suffer his Horse, Ass, Mule, Cow, Cattle, Goat, Sheep, Swine, Goose or Dog (except a dog registered as hereinafter mentioned) to run at large within the limits of the city." By order

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER
City Hall, March 22nd, 1889. C. M. C.
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TWO CASES BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

ONE CASE FANCY FLANNEL OVERSHIRTS

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CITY AND PROVINCE.

—There a number of varieties of corns. Holloway's Corn Cure will remove any of them. Call on your druggist and get a bottle at once. *

—Applause is the spur on noble minds; the end and aim of weak ones.

—Do not delay in getting relief for the little folks. Mouther Graves' Worm Exterminator is a pleasant and sure cure. If you love your child why do you let it suffer when a remedy is so near at hand. *

—No argument can be drawn from the abuse of a thing against its use.

—*C. A. Livingstone*, Platteville, Ont., says: "I have much pleasure in recommending *Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil*, from having used it myself, and having sold it for some time. In my own case I will say for it that it is the best preparation I have ever tried for rheumatism."

—One absurdity being admitted, one must submit to all that follows.

—The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's earnings for the week ending April 14th were $263,000; for the same week last year $234,000. The above does not include the earnings on the South Eastern railway.

—The slugger cannot understand the fineness of the power; but there is nothing in this world so strong as gentleness.

—*A Sure Basis of Popularity.*—Merit, apparent to a "cloud of witnesses," upon which the popularity of *Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil* is founded. Throat and lung complaints, pain, soreness, stiffness, swellings, burns and ailments of various other kinds, yield to the action of this speedy and safe remedy. *

—The dirt that blows in the streets belongs to the general public; the sprinkling carts that stop it are private affairs.

—Why suffer from disorders caused from impure blood, when thousands are being cured by using Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery? It removes Pimples and all Eruptions of the Skin. Mr. John C. Fox, Olinda, writes, "Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery is giving good satisfaction. Those who have used it say it has done them more good than anything they have ever taken." *

—A HINT WORTH HEEDING.—Life loses half its zest when digestion is permanently impaired. Surely then a speedy means of restoring this essential of bodily comfort is worth trying. Every rank, every profession, bears its quota of evidence to the beneficent influence upon the stomach, and also upon the liver, bowels and kidneys, of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, or Celebrated Blood Purifier. What is the wise course suggested to the sick by this testimony? We leave them to decide. *

WHERE THEY GREW FIRST.

The Origin of Some of the Most Popular Food Producing Plants.

Lemons were used by the Romans to keep moths from their garments, and in the time of Pliny they were considered an excellent poison. They are natives of Asia.

Spinach is a Persian plant.

Horse-radish is a native of England.

Melons were found originally in Asia.

Filberts originally came from Greece.

Quinces originally came from Corinth.

The turnip originally came from Rome.

The peach originally came from Persia.

Sage is a native of the south of Europe.

Sweet marjoram is a native of Portugal.

The bean is said to be a native of Egypt.

Damsons originally came from Damascus.

The nasturtium came originally from Peru.

The pea is a native of the south of Europe.

Ginger is a native of the East and West Indies.

Coriander seed came originally from the East.

The cucumber was originally a tropical vegetable.

The gooseberry is indigenous to Great Britain.

Apricots are indigenous to the plains of America.

Pears were originally brought from the East by the Romans.

Capers originally grew wild in Greece and Northern Africa.

The walnut is a native of Persia, the Caucasus, and China.

The clove is a native of Malacca Islands, as also is the nutmeg.

Cherries were known in Asia as far back as the seventeenth century.

Garlic came to us first from Sicily and the shores of the Mediterranean.

Asparagus was originally a wild seacoast plant, and is a native of Great Britain.

The tomato is a native of South America, and it takes its name from a Portuguese word.

Greengage is called after the Gage family, who first took it to England from a monastery in Paris.

Parsley is said to have come from Egypt, and mythology tells us it was to adorn the head of Hercules.

Apples were originally brought from the East by the Romans. The crab apple is indigenous to Great Britain.

The onion was almost an object of worship with the Egyptians two thousand years before the Christian era. It first came from India.

The cantaloup is a native of America, and so called from the name of a place near Rome, where it was first cultivated in Europe.

Cloves came to us from the Indies, and take their name from the Latin *clavus* or French *clou*, both meaning a nail, to which they have a resemblance.

A continuation of "Robert Elsmere" has already been begun by an American publisher, and advance-sheets, containing thrilling installments of the romantic adventures of "Robert Elsmere's Daughter," are being scattered broadcast over the length and breadth of the United States. From the title of the story, the impression sought to be conveyed is that Mrs. Humphrey Ward, the author of Robert Elsmere," is responsible, too, for "Robert Elsmere's Daughter," the heading of the story being arranged in this specious shape: "'Robert Elsmere's Daughter'—a companion story to 'Robert Elsmere'—by Mrs. Humphrey Ward. (This story will not be published in book form.)"

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE TREADWELL MINE.

It is Said to Have the Largest Quartz Mill in the World.

San Francisco, April 19—The largest quartz mill in the world is that of the famous Treadwell mine on Douglas island, Alaska. For some time this mill has been entitled to the proud distinction noted, and now still another addition is to be made to it. As at present operated, the mill in question has 240 stamps. Within the past week contracts have been signed in this city for the addition of 120 more, with all the latest improvements in machinery. Thus the Treadwell mine will, before long, have in operation no less than 360 stamps, something, it is said, never before heard of in the history of mining enterprises any where in the world.

At one of the wharves here the schooner Helen N. Kimball, 183 tons, is taking in stores and machinery for the gold mining station at Galeone Bay in Alaska. Eighteen head of stock, consisting of mules and horses, will also go up on the Kimball, besides a new sternwheel steamer, which was built here especially for work on the Galeone river. This steamer made her trial trip to-day, which was quite successful. She is named the William Seward, and is fifty feet long on the keel and of an eighteen foot beam. The name is very appropriate, and if the success Seward's "folly" was, her owners are to be congratulated.

A BOGUS RULER.

How McPherson Played the Cruel King in Alaska.

A Chicago *Daily News* Washington special says: A very pretty little story, which promises to develope into an interesting trial, comes to Washington from Alaska. It is to the effect that about three years ago a man named McPherson sailed from San Francisco and eventually landed on one of the Aleutian Islands, off the coast of Alaska. Mr. McPherson's entire outfit consisted of a suit of clothes, an American flag, and check enough for a regiment, together with a paper purporting to have been signed by Attorney General Garland appointing him United States commissioner. As soon as he landed on the island he raised the American flag with a great deal of ceremony, took command of the 600 natives and compelled them to address him as king. McPherson each season exacted a heavy tribute from the natives, and altogether he seems to have been having a lovely time. Things went along very smoothly until a few months ago when, it is reported, he had some difficulty with some of his subjects, and fearing there might be a mutiny he hanged three of the rebellious ones. The report of McPherson's rule reached the treasury department and a special agent was sent to his island to investigate the matter. The agent recently reported the facts to Secretary Windom substantially as they are given above. Now it is said a revenue cutter will be sent to the island for the purpose of arresting McPherson. It is the intention of the authorities to bring him to San Francisco and try him for murder.

English Coal Fields.

An English scientist, Mr. R. Price Williams, has recently read a paper to the Statistical Society in London on the rapid exhaustion of the English coal fields. According to this authority the Northumberland and Durham coal deposits will have been used in ninety-four years to an extent that will make their further operation impossible considered from any standpoint. The same effect will overtake a part of the South Wales coal fields in seventy-nine years, and another part in forty-six years. The Lancashire and Cheshire coal fields are given a life of seventy-four years; the Yorkshire, Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire coal fields, ninety years; the Warwickshire coal fields, fifty-three years; the Denbighshire and Flintshire coal fields, 250 years; the Scottish coal fields, ninety-two years. One of the advantages England has enjoyed over other countries has been the abundance and cheapness of its coal. According to Mr. Williams it will only be a matter of a few years before this advantage will have passed away, and with it the period of England's industrial greatness.

Brothers United.

We find the following in an eastern exchange: A romantic story connected with a young Frenchman of Fall River has just been brought to light. His name is Tancred Roussel, and he was left an orphan in Canada at the age of ten years. He had a brother who left home 21 years ago—two years before Tancred was born—and consequently the latter never knew of his whereabouts. Some time ago Tancred went from Fall River to Bristol, R. I., to work as a mason's apprentice, and one day entered into conversation with a fellow-employee about his former home in Canada. When he told the workman his name and the circumstances of his life, the latter replied that he knew another orphan surnamed Roussel, immensely rich, who resided in British Columbia, and suggested that he might be the brother whom Tancred had mentioned as his only relative. Tancred had doubt of ever being able to find his brother, but finally was induced to send a letter to British Columbia to enquire about the matter. He received a reply to give the names of his father and mother as a proof of his identity. The names were right, and the two brothers have been united.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

No Chance For Argument.

It is actually said to have been a city hall official who, coming home late the other night, and having had much difficulty in making the key fit the door, found his wife waiting for him at the foot of the stairs. "John," she exclaimed, "I believe you are drunk!" "My dear," said he, pulling off his hat and making a long unsteady bow, while he reached vainly for the newel post, "There is no chance for an argument."

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M. & H. A. Fox have just received direct from Sheffield a large stock of table and pocket cutlery, scissors, etc. Shaving outfits a specialty. Call and examine at 78 Government street. *

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A BY-LAW
To Amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That in the schedule attached to the said by-law, the line, "City Carpenter $65.00 per month" is hereby changed to read "City Carpenter $75.00 per month."

2. This By-law may be cited as "The Consolidated Officers' Remuneration Amendment By-law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 20th day of March, A. D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council, this 27th day of March, A. D. 1889.

JOHN GRANT, Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
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APPLICATIONS FOR THE POSITION OF steward of the above club will be received by the undersigned up to the 25th inst. References required. Envelopes to be marked "Application for Steward."

J. K. WORSFOLD, Sec. Victoria Club.
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H. G. WATERSON,
Job Printer,
Over R. Jamieson's Book store, Government street.
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NOTICE.

Estate of Thomas Inge, deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE above estate are required to pay the accounts due forthwith, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to present the same to

THORNTON FELL, Solicitor for the Executors.
Victoria, 4th October, 1888. oc5tf

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WM. THURSDAL.

Victoria, B. C., 18th February 1889.
DR. J. EUGENE JORDAN M. D.
Dear Sir—I have much pleasure in adding my testimony to the efficiency of your medicines. I was suffering severely from an attack of Quinsy, a friend of mine recommended your medicines, which I began using, and in a few hours the pain was gone. I can recommend Histogenetic medicines as a specific in that complaint.
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For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
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For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Frazer River Route.
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Northern Route.
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Leave Seattle	6:45 p. m.
Arrive Tacoma	9 p. m.

TO VICTORIA, EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Tacoma	7 a. m.
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J. ROLAND HETT, Barrister-at-Law.

Victoria, January 22nd 1889. ja23tf

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Ice cream at Steitz's.

—The sealing schooner Theresa is on Dick & Turpel's ways undergoing repairs.

—A very fine looking bycicle consigned to T. Minor arrived from the east last night.

—A new cooking range has arrived from Montreal for the steamer Princess Louise.

—Ninety-four head of beeves arrived yesterday. Forty were for E. Quennell, of Nanaimo.

—The 24th of May is fast approaching and but little seems to be done in regard to the celebration.

—Chicken or garden fencing, four feet 18 cents per yard, at McLennan & McFeely's, 16 Fort St. *2w

—Attached to the regular passenger train to Nanaimo this morning were four car loads of cattle.

—151 words per minute without an error has been written with the Remington Typewriter. Waitt & Co., agents.

—At eight o'clock last night not a hack or carriage of any description could be seen on the Government street stand.

—E. G. Prior & Co. received by the Islander last night 387 packages of hardware, amongst which were ten mowers.

—The Pianos made by Knabe & Co. carried off the highest award at the Centennial Exhibition. M. W. Waitt & Co., agents.

—A fine picture of O'Connor, champion oarsman of America, is to be seen in Campbell's drug store. Heavy medicine for some.

—A large new bell for Rev. Mr. Browne, the Rector, Port Essington, has arrived from Troy, N. Y., and will go north by next steamer.

—If your "pianos" want tuning, you can get satisfaction by applying to Mr. Frank Bourne, the practical tuner, 24, Kane street, City.

—It will repay you to visit Waitt's Music Store and see the Knabe Pianos, and the other well known instruments which they have in stock.

—A magnificent line of Gendron's celebrated wire wheel baby buggies just opened at John Weiler's. Also China dinner, breakfast and tea services.

—Mr. Fred Gough, one of the most expert ball tossers, while practicing on Monday evening last, sprained his ankle and is now compelled to use a cane.

—A resident of the Royal City has trout in his well. The presence of small trout in the well leads the *Columbian's* man to believe that the fish are increasing by breeding. Perhaps they grow.

—Messrs. Pennock and Clayton request us to say that the *Colonist* is in error in stating that the silver trowel used at the laying of the corner stone yesterday was manufactured by them. It was made by Mr. C. E. Redfern.

—Capt. Urquhart brought the Danube down from Vancouver this morning. The Danube is bound for Portland with 600 tons of Chinese freight and will bring back a cargo of flour for the Abyssinia, which is due on the third of next month.

—Nanaimo is to have another band. This time it is to be composed of fifes and drums. Gladstone Foster is leader and instructor, and will no doubt fill the bill. The membership already amounts to fifteen and there is room for more.

—Nothing yet has been heard of the sneak thief who entered Mr. Evans' room in the Nanaimo Hotel on Sunday night and robbed him of a large sum of money and a gold watch. His partner, Geo. McDonald, was arraigned in the police court on Monday afternoon and remanded for eight days.

—The ladies of the Refuge Home committee desire to thank Mesdames Spencer, Gregg, Grant and Mr. Fawcett for the following donations: Curtains, sheets, mattress, bedstead, extension and kitchen tables and carpet. The Home is now prepared to receive contributions of any kind, furniture or furnishings being very acceptable.

THE LATE ADAM INNIS.

A Highly Respected Citizen Passes Away.

The death of Adam Innis, of this city, occurred this morning. Deceased was a resident for fifteen years of Langley municipality, where he was better known than in Victoria, to which he removed about three years ago. He was born in Baunfshire, Scotland, and emigrated with his family when still a boy to western Ontario, where he remained until 1871, when he came to British Columbia. Procuring land in Langley, he engaged in farming until about three or four years ago. Taking as he did an interest in public affairs, he was selected by the people for many years as one of the municipal councillors, and always proved a faithful servant of the public. He was respected for his high sense of honor and sterling integrity, and was recognized as one of the most influential residents of the district an active politician, was always to be found at public gatherings in which he took a prominent part, and although a man of firm convictions, and outspoken in giving them expression, he retained the friendship and confidence even of those who were opposed to him. On removing to Victoria he engaged in the wood business, and in quarrying building stone at Cobble Hill. His health began to fail about a year ago, and during the winter a visit was made to Southern California, where he was under the treatment of Dr. McSwain. Apparently improved in health he returned to Victoria three weeks ago, but almost immediately suffered a relapse, and steadily growing weaker, his end came early this morning. His illness was of a somewhat complicated character, and was attributed by different doctors, to lung and liver affection, terminating finally in chronic diarrhœa. Deceased was 49 years of age, and leaves two sons and three daughters, the youngest being seven years old. Mrs. Innis died five years ago. The remains will be conveyed to New Westminster on Friday, and will be interred in the family plot, which is the final resting place of Mrs. Innis and four or five children. The family and relatives have the sincere sympathy of the community in their great bereavement.

WILSON-JENNS.

Interesting Ceremony at St. John's Church This Afternoon.

The marriage of Mr. W. Bagwey Wilson, architect, and Miss Flora Alexandra Jenns, eldest daughter of Rev. Percival Jenns, was celebrated at St. John's Church this afternoon. The edifice was filled with ladies and the interesting ceremony was performed by Rev. Percival Jenns. The fair young bride looked lovely in a white silk dress court train, tulle veil and orange blossoms and carried a large bouquet of white flowers. The bridesmaids, Miss K. O'Reilly, Miss Gertrude Powell, Miss Cocsis Finlayson, Misses Rose and Sylvia Jenns, were all dressed in white lawn with long sashes of liberty silk, fastened by large silver buckles, large white hats trimmed with tulle and apple blossoms. Each bridesmaid carried a white baton tied with bunches of ribbon and flowers. Captain A. W. Jones supported the groom, with Mr. Wm. Allison. The bride entered the church on the arm of her brother, Mr. Eustace Jenns, the organ pealing forth the wedding march. At the conclusion of the ceremony the choir sang a hymn and the invited guests, with the bride and groom, adjourned to the Rectory where a wedding repast was partaken of. The presents were numerous and costly. The happy couple will leave on the Islander to-morrow morning to spend the honeymoon in Kamloops. The best wishes of their many friends in Victoria accompany Mr. and Mrs. Wilson in which THE TIMES heartily joins.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

For the South.

The Mexico sailed at 1 p. m., for San Francisco with the following passengers from this port: Mrs. G. Calvert, G. Dennison, J. W. Schionton and Alex. G. McCandless.

Live Stock Sale.

Mr. M. Hunter yesterday purchased of Jones & McNeill a fine looking Shire roan gelding, five years old and weighing 1400 pounds. The price paid was $325. It would appear that there is a fair market in this city for good draught stock.

Steamer Change.

The stern-wheel steamer R. P. Rithet, after being thoroughly overhauled and embellished, started on her initial trip of the season for Westminster this morning in command of Capt. Jagers. The Princess Louise has moved to Spratt's wharf for overhauling.

Provincial Exhibition.

At the meeting of the directors of the Provincial Agricultural Society, held in New Westminster, on the 13th inst., the date for the exhibition was fixed for Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, the second, third, and forth of October next. The *Columbian's* fund for the exhibition now amounts to $1,122.85.

Remains Identified.

It was learned yesterday that the name of the man found dead in his room in the Bellevue house, Seattle, on Saturday, was J. H. Brockery. He was a married man and he has a daughter named Mrs. H. B. Smith, who is a resident of Newport, Perry county, Pa. A short time since Brockery was employed as cashier in a Tacoma restaurant.

New Zealand Flax.

Freight bound east over the C. P. R. from California, is gaining great proportions. The City of Puebla on her last up trip refused to accept more the day before sailing. A noticeable consignment consisted of New Zealand flax en route for Boston, which gives a faint coloring to what sort of a trade a Canadian transPacific line might build up.

To His Memory.

The officers of H. M. S. Espiegle have decided to erect a monument to mark the resting place of the late Thomas Nicholls, C.E.R.A., who died of consumption in the Navy Hospital recently, at the early age of 33 years. The token of remembrance is a beautiful Ionic cross inscribed, "Not lost, but gone before." Mr. James Fisher has the work in hand.

All Right Again.

A flaw in the crank pin in the vital part of the Northern Pacific's machinery has been the cause of that steamer's delay here. It was discovered about half-past eight on Monday night that it would be hazardous to attempt a passage to the Sound without a new pin. Albion I. W. workmen at once commenced the work of making a new pin, and have been night and day at the job. Everything is expected to be in readiness for the steamer's departure at 6 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Dust to Dust.

The funeral of the late Alexander Norman McLeod Nicolson occurred this morning, leaving St. Joseph's Hospital for St. Andrew's pro-Cathedral at 10 o'clock, where divine services were held, the Rev. Father Van Nevel officiating. The sacred edifice contained numerous personal friends of the deceased as a mark of respect to one who was highly esteemed. The pall-bearers were Messrs. F. E. DeVeulle, M. V. Brown, E. H. Fletcher, Edgar Marvin, H. Sullivan and L. Dunbleton.

Peculiar Accident.

In some unaccountable manner one of the electric wires stretched across Commercial street near Main, Seattle, parted last Saturday evening, and several feet of it being down upon the sidewalk, Antone Saver, an Italian laborer, who happened to be passing, ran afoul of the broken wire and received a violent shock. He was thrown heavily to the ground and rendered insensible by the current of electricity. Fire Marshal Murphy, who attempted to rescue him, was slightly injured by coming in contact with the wire.

The 24th May.

One month from to-day will be the 24th May, and the celebration of the Queen's birthday so much talked about will be on. Up to this date the celebration so far as heard from has been merely talk. No prospectuses have been issued nor any money raised. There is time enough, it is true, to complete arrangements and to raise the money, but it should be borne in mind at the same time that the open "sesame" part of the business has its difficulties. Of course the money will be raised, but it is poor policy to defer this important feature until the eleventh hour. The committee will do well to attend to the financial part of the business at once, for until the money is forthcoming the programme of amusements must rest in abeyance.

To-Night's Entertainment

The following is the programme for the concert in the theatre to-night, by the Mendelssohn Quintette Club, of Boston:

Quintette in E flat—Allegro vivace.....Mayseder
Aria from "La Clemenza de Tito,".....Mozart
MISS ALICE RYAN.
Fantasie Characteristique for Violoncello.....Servais
HERR ANTON HEKKING.
Quartette in F Op. 41.....Tschaikowsky
Andante.
Fantasia for Clarinette on original themes.....Ryan
MR. THOMAS RYAN.
Fantasie for Violin on themes from Faust.....Sarasate
HERR WILHELM OHLIGER.
Pieces for Violoncello, { a. Air.....Bach / b. Butterfly.....Popper
HERR ANTON HEKKING.
Gabriella Valse.....Marchesi
MISS ALICE RYAN.
Finale—Gipsy Rondo, from a Piano Trio.....Haydn
Arrangements for Quintette by Thos Ryan.

Easter Festival.

St. John's Church was literally filled with an appreciative audience last evening, the occasion being the annual Easter festival. The song service commenced with the opening anthem "Lift up Your Heads," by Hopkins Bridgewater's Services, followed by the anthem, "What are These Arrayed in White Robes," and "With Angels and Archangels," the verse and solo parts being taken by Mrs. Walkem, Mrs. Janion, Miss Finlayson, Miss Johnston, the Misses Twiss, Messrs. Lombard Rhodes, Kent, Johnston and Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie. During the offertory Mrs. Walkem, Mrs. Janion and Messrs. Lombard and Rhodes sang "Call to Remembrance." The "Old Hundredth" finished the service. The service was intoned by the Rev. Mr. Beanlands. Lesson by Revs. Kingcombe and Jenns; sermon by Archdeacon Scriven. The proceeds are to be devoted towards tuning and repairing the organ.

Higgins-Helmcken.

One of these happy events, which is always interesting, and particularly so to the fair sex, occurred last evening in the Reformed Episcopal church. On this occasion Mr. William R. Higgins led to the altar Miss Edith Louise, youngest daughter of Hon. J. S. Helmcken, M. D. At eight o'clock the blushing bride entered the church upon her father's arm, supported by her two bridesmaids, Miss Maud Higgins and Miss Bubby. The groom was supported by Capt. W. Smallfield. The bride looked beautiful attired in pearly white crape and orange blossoms, and carried a beautiful bouquet of lillies-of-the-valley, the gift of Mr. G. A. McTavish, her brother-in-law. The sacred ceremony was performed by the Right Rev. Bishop Cridge, assisted by Rev. Dr. Reid, while Mrs. Leach presided at the organ. On the conclusion of the ceremony the bridal party adjourned to the residence of the Hon. Dr. Helmcken, where a wedding supper was partaken of. The young couple left this morning for Harrison Hot Springs to spend their honeymoon. THE TIMES extends its heartiest wishes for the future prosperity of the happy pair.

RULE BRITANNIA.

Sons of St. George Around the Banquet Table.

A jolly company of Englishmen assembled in the dining room of the Clarence hotel last evening, the object of the gathering being to do honor to the day of their patron saint. A very pleasant evening was spent and that St. George would have been gratified with the homage done to him there can be no room for doubting. It was one of those happy occasions when cares are thrown to the winds and men for the time being give themselves up to innocent enjoyments and social communion. The preparations for the banquet were all that could be desired. The *cuisine* by Steward Reid was excellent, and good music was supplied by Messrs. Haynes and Pauline.

Ex-Mayor Redfern occupied the presidents chair, Mayor Grant to his right, Major Peters to his left. Ex-Ald. Powell occupied the vice chair.

After justice had been done to the spread the company were called to order by the president, who read excuses from Lieut.-Governor Nelson, Capt. Hammet, H. M. S. Swiftsure, Commander Clarke, H. M. S. Espeigle, Capt. Annesley, H. M. S. Icarus, Col. Stevens, U. S. Consul, and M. W. T. Drake.

After the usual formal toasts to "The Queen," the "Prince of Wales and Royal family," and the "President of the United States," Mr. Powell proposed the "Governor General" who, he said, had fulfilled the predictions made respecting him, that he would make a wise administrator.

Mr. Fell proposed the "Lieutenant Governor," to whom he proposed a warm tribute, expressing the hope that he would enjoy good health during his present term of office, and another one after it if necessary. This toast was responded to with great enthusiasm.

Mr. William Phillips sang "Will o' the Wisp," in fine style, the song showing his fine baritone voice to advantage.

Mr. Ed. Allen, M. P. P., "Army, Navy, and Volunteers," responded to by Major Peters in his own inimitable style. Also by Mr. H. A. Lavin.

Mr. Geo. Fairbrother sang "There is Room Enough for All."

Mr. Charles Wilson proposing "The Mayor and Council," complimented the city on its present administration. Republics, he said, were notoriously ungrateful, the best mayors were forgotten, few could name but one or two of the Mayors of London, therefore our Mayor and Council must build a monument to themselves in their works if they wished their names to live. (Applause.)

Mayor Grant, in responding, expressed the opinion that the people would require that Victoria should more than keep space with her rivals. It was true the council could do a great deal, but they must be backed up by the people, and he would therefore say now that whenever a reasonable scheme came before them for the improvement of the city, to go for it by all means (applause).

Mr. Edward Allen sang "The English man" very acceptably.

Mr. Chas. Bloomfield proposed "the bench and bar." He testified to the efficient administration of justice in this province which had preserved the peace in the past.

Mr. Mills, in replying, related a story of Daniel O'Connel who, when accused by the benchers of defending a client for a shilling, assured the accusers that he had taken every penny the poor man possessed (laughter).

Mr. Chas. Wilson agreed with the proposer that the administration of justice in this province had given safety to lives and property during the early days of this province. A free and independent bar was one of the first safeguards of the liberties of the people.

Mr. Thos. Harmen sang in good form "The ship that never returned."

Mr. E. T. Fletcher proposed "The Clergy," reminding the company that there were times and occasions when a little advice and consolation were needed. It was then we appreciated the clergy.

There were loud calls for Mr. Fell who, on rising said that, with the progress of education and our institutions the necessity of clergymen, as a class, would no longer be necessary. Those boys and girls that we saw assembled to-day would be their own clergymen, their own thinkers.

Mr. Chas. Flewin next gave a good song.

Mr. O. Parry, Mills proposed "The Press." He expressed the opinion that the press rendered great service in furthering the material resources of the country, and referred to the great enterprise exhibited by the institution. He condemned the jury that would give heavy damages against a newspaper.

Responded to by the representatives of the press.

Mr. Chas. Jenkinson sang "A Warrior Bold" and for an encore gave "The Pilot."

Mr. W. K. Bull proposed "Our Native Land and the Day We Celebrate," in an excellent speech. Ex-Mayor Redfern responded and complimented the mover highly on his speech.

Ex-Councillor Powell also congratulated Mr. Bull on his excellent speech. He (Mr. B.) had been a true Englishman both by example and precept.

Mr. Partridge, one of the organizers of the St. George's Society, was called upon and made a neat speech, expressing the hope that the Sons of St. George would stand together and keep up the society.

Mr. Henry Mansell sang "The Minute Gun at Sea" very acceptably.

Mr. Geo. Fairbrother proposed the sister societies, Mayor Grant responding for the Caledonian Society, ex-Mayor Fell and H. Mansell for the B. C. Benevolent Society.

Ex-Mayor Redfern sang the "Holy Friar."

Mr. J. E. Martin proposed the ladies, observing that Victoria had many both beautiful and accomplished. Responded to by Mr. Thos. Harmon.

This concluded the regular toast list, after which Mr. Powell sang "Beautiful Isle of the Sea," and the company shortly afterwards broke up.

I'M AN ENGLISHMAN.

Speech by Mr. W. K. Bull at the Banquet Last Night.

Mr. W. K. Bull in proposing "Our Native Land and the Day We Celebrate," said: I have the distinguished honor and pleasure on this interesting occasion of proposing the toast that must be regarded as the toast of the evening, inasmuch as it is, "Old England, Our Native Land," and I have that pleasure because well assured that such a toast in honor of our beloved country at this festive gathering of the Sons of St. George will receive a generous welcome and a hearty response. (Applause.) Colonial life naturally means, at least in the meantime, separation from England, but although thus separated, we are nevertheless Englishmen, cherish English feelings of love and respect for the land of our birth, and hold in affectionate remembrance her green fields, hawthorne hedges and the happy days we spent there. (Applause). Englishmen, as you know, are generally spoken of as John Bull. You are familiar with the portly form and figure of this John Bull so often appearing in the illustrations of *Punch* and elsewhere, and as thus represented supposed to be the typical Englishman. We look upon this national portrait of ourselves with general satisfaction. We notice with admiration the substantial build of this John Bull—his robust form, his broad shoulders, his spacious coat tails, and those jolly old top boots that to wear but more especially we notice his open, honest face, beaming with good nature. (Hear, hear.) Well now, it is to this John Bull and his forefathers, that the world is largely indebted for many of its present advantages. He, indeed, has played no insignificant part in the world's history; but while thus speaking of his achievements, I am not unmindful of what has been done, also, on the part of Scotland and of Ireland and of services rendered. Yet I feel I should not be doing ample justice to John Bull if I did not on this occasion point out, and this, I submit, is the right and proper time to do so, that at certain periods in the history of our country, say for instance, in the 15th and 16th centuries, when great questions had to be settled, and battles fought, it was this John Bull of ours, single-handed and alone, unassisted by any other nationality, that had to meet those difficulties, and brave those dangers, and who was the pioneer out of these discordant materials to fuse into shape present British civilization. (Loud applause.) The mere mention of one of those events that marked those troublesome times will be sufficient to show the nature of the difficulties that sometimes had to be encountered by our illustrious countrymen. I refer to that memorable event when Spain aspiring to universal dominion sent her formidable, and as she boasted, her "Invincible Armada" to our shores to conquer England and enslave her people, but as you can easily imagine it ill-suited men of the pluck and courage of the John Bull race to tamely submit to this indignity; at this critical period when our country was placed in such imminent peril, our English forefathers nothing daunted by the tremendous odds they had to encounter buckled on their manhood, boldly faced the enemy and sent him away so defeated and humbled from our shores that no encouragement was given for a second visit. (Laughter). From that day Spain never held up her head, but kept going down to present insignificance. It seemed like a judgment upon her, whereas, on the other hand, plucky little England fighting her way through a host of difficulties, which has left its mark on every page of her history, kept going up and up until attaining to present glorious ascendancy. (Loud applause.) At that hour of trial of our country, Scotland and Ireland, that in modern days have been with us, on that occasion were nowhere—they stood aloof. At this particular crisis England found not in them a friend, nor a pitying foe, and yet they were as much interested in the result of this conflict as we who fought the battle, and gained the victory, and who now share equally with us the advantages of the civil and religious liberty enjoyed, and which the success of this Armada would have so seriously jeopardized and altered the whole course of history. Our country since that time has been engaged in many great and important battles, but never in any such battles would defeat have been so disastrous or victory more important than in this conflict with the Spanish Armada. Mr. Chairman, I venture to submit if ever there was a proper time—if ever there was an appropriate occasion, in which we might be allowed to indulge in a little self-glorification over the noble actions and brave deeds of our forefathers, it is on such occasions as the present, when we meet in festivity together to celebrate the natal day of our patron saint, and who knows but what at some time or other it might have an inspiring influence for good? (Applause.) Let it not for one moment be supposed that in indulging in this glorification it is at the expense of our brother subjects of Scotland and of Ireland, or to introduce invidious distinctions, for since their union with us in government, by the ability displayed—by their patriotism—by their bravery in fighting our battles—by their aid in the great work of colonization, and in other ways too numerous to mention they have rendered invaluable service to our country. And as the result, the grand result of this combination of this union in government, there has been built up an empire, that for power, for wealth, for influence and importance, aye, and withal for toleration that has never been equalled. (Loud applause.) Seeing that our country has attained to this ascendant position, the question is sometimes asked us to what cause, or causes she is mainly indebted for this ascendancy? Some have imputed it as largely owing to those two great arms of her strength—the Army and her Navy—others have considered it was more owing to the enterprise and industry of the people, then again the influence of her many wealthy and boundless manufactories have been brought prominently under notice, not forgetting her admirable form of government, and the equally admirable administration of her laws, but in truth, sir, it is not to any one of these causes singly more than another, that our country is indebted for her greatness, but rather to a judicious and happy combination of them all; but if it were left to me to say our country's proud position arose from any one thing, it would suit my feelings and my judgment much to say it might be imputed to her moral worth, to her love of what is right, and her contempt of what is wrong. (Loud applause.) And although doubtless she may sometimes be charged with errors of omission and commission, yet to atone for such failings there are great redeeming virtues, and the national heart is sound. And, mark you, it is to the conservative influence of this moral worth, that under God's good providence, the empire is sustained in her importance and dignity. (Cheers.) The quickness of communication in the present day has brought us into such close touch with the Mother Country, that we can now learn every day not only what is going on there, but also in her widespread domain, which naturally intensifies the interest. Speaking on one occasion of the gratification I felt in watching the progress of these events as affecting our country, I was met with the observation of surprise that I should trouble myself about such distant matters, as my interest was centred here. I hold, Mr. Chairman, such parochial and ignoble sentiments in supreme contempt. True it is, I have no property in dear Old England—no broad acres, nor title, yet, nevertheless, when I hear of her prosperity, I am as well pleased, and on the other hand, when I hear of her troubles, as much concerned, as if I did hold such possessions, and this I submit is the right and proper feeling that every Englishman should have towards his country. (Loud applause). If I am asked why I am imbued with these patriotic feelings, my answer is, it is from the conviction arrived at, the result of observation of a life extending considerably over the three score years and ten allotted to man, that in the extension of British power, in the promotion of British manners and British ways, there is that done which is most in harmony with the welfare and best calculated to advance the happiness of the human family. (Cheers). I am well aware, Mr. Chairman, for I keep myself informed of what is going on in the world, that at the present time our country has many recreant sons in her bosom, who for gratification of a crochet or promotion of a party, would sacrifice her best interests and jeopardize her position and had they the power would perhaps rend her asunder. Never, therefore, at any time was there more required generous and true hearted loyalty

"To the flag that's braved a thousand years
The battle and the breeze."

(Loud applause.) The world seems to have a cruel pleasure in tormenting John Bull. (Laughter.) What with troubles from within, and troubles from without, he never gets a moment's peace; such is the price and the penalty he has to pay for his high position, but which high position, notwithstanding these troubles, and annoyances, he knows so well how to maintain, to the intense gratification of all those interested in the national welfare. I hold it is the bounden duty of every man to be proud of his country; that no man can be a good citizen unless he is thus proud, and more especially is it incumbent upon Englishmen with such a country, and such a history. If I belonged to any other nationality—if a Frenchman, a German, an American, a Scotchman, or an Irishman I should feel it my duty to be proud of it, for doubtless I should be able to find sufficient reason why I should be thus proud, but as I do not happen to belong to any of these nationalities, I am thankful, and why? Because I infinitely prefer being what I am. I have no desire or ambition to be anything better than being an Englishman, endorsing as I do to the full the sentiment so admirably expressed,

That it's a glorious charter, dang it who can?
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The toast if you please is, "Old England, our Native Land." (Given with three cheers.)

POLICE COURT.

(Before City Police Magistrate Richards, Q. C.)

Fred. B. Smith, charged with mendicancy, was fined $5 or one month with hard labor. He took the latter.

John Dougherty, on remand charged with an infraction of the health by-law. The case was dismissed on the grounds of non-jurisdiction.

Ah Gee, charged with an infraction of the building by-law, was fined $5.

W. G. Sum, charged with selling liquor without a license; remanded for the fourth time till Friday next.

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DIED.

THOMSON—In South Saanich, on the 24th inst., Ruby Thomson, infant daughter of J. W. Thomson, aged one year and ten days.

MARRIED.

HIGGINS-HELMCKEN—At the Reformed Episcopal Church, Victoria, B. C., on April 23, 1889, by the Rev. Bishop Cridge, assisted by the Rev. J. Reid, D. D., Edith Louisa Helmcken to William Higgins, Esq., both of Victoria, Vancouver Island.

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